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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Jon GINGRICH et al.) Group Art Unit: 3731
Application No.: 10/808,427) Examiner: WEBB, SARAH K
Filed: March 25, 2004)
For: MEDICAL DEVICE AND RELATED) Confirmation No.: 6960
METHODS OF PACKAGING)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are included in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment sections of this paper.